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The Wisconsin Senator Applauds the Chief Magistrate

AND DENOUNCES SENATOR GORMAN.

Mr. Hill's Motion to Place Coal and Iron Ore on the Free List Defeated-Representative Holman Prodicts Another Conference Disagreement on the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 27.-Senator Vilas, of Wisconsin, who was secretary of the interior and later postmaster general during Mr. Cleveland's first administration, replied at great length yesterday to Senator Gorman's attack upon the president. Four two hours he held the floor, amid the rapt attention of the senate and galleries, delivering his scathing rebuke of the Maryland senator. He denounced Mr. Gorman's assault as wanton, reckless and unjustifiable, and though he declared that Mr. Cleveland needed no defense at his hands, he took up seriation the charges made by Mr. Gorman and met them with masterly skill and logic.

interest of the truth of history. Mr. Gorman was not in the senate at the time, and to this fact the Wisconsin senator called attention with regret. In conclusion he eulogized the personal character and public integrity of Mr. Cleveland in the most glowing terms, declaring with dramatic ferver that the president of the United States, who had received so many evidences of the honor and respect of the American people, could not suffer from this nejustifiable attack of the Maryland

At the conclusion of his speech Mr. Vilas explained that, in view of the fact that Mesers. Gorman, Brice and Smith had assured him that his motion to recede from the one-eighth diff-rential in favor of the refiners of sugar must fail, and the further fact that a Democratic caucus had decided to agree to a further conference without instructions, he would withdraw

and iron one were voted upon and defeated, the Republicans, except Mr. Hansbrough, of North Dakota, joining with the Democrats bound by the caucus agreeother Democrat except Mr. Hill who voted for free coal and iron. The Populists-Allen, Kyle and Peffer-also voted in the

Vilas' motion to instruct the conferees to recede from the one-eighth differential on refined sugars, but Mr. Gray immediately made the point of order against it to instruct in a "full and free" conference. The point of order was debated for some time, but had not been decaded when the senate adjurred. There is no doubt, however, that it will be sastained and this motion ruled out. The general imconference today.

signed to the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, and some twenty or thirty bills reported from this committee

that event, he says, a cancus of the house Democrats will be called to decide upon instructions to be given the house con-

Deby Denounces the Court.

CHICAGO, July 27 -At a meeting of the A. R. U. President Debsymlently assuied the prosecution in the contempt proceedings. Toward the close of his speech he said: "I am under indictment all the way from San Francisco to/ Pennsylvania and from St. Paul to New Orleans, but I have not forfeited my right to tree speech, and if Judge Woods yesterday enunciated the law I would rather rot in Jail than be a free man if I alone were concerned in this matter I would permit no defense to be made in my behalf, for I consider it an honor to be in contempt of the court that is going to try me."

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ANOTHER RUMOR OF WAR Conflicting Reports Regarding the China-Japan Controversy.

SHANGHAI, July 27 .- A telegram reeived last night from a high authority at Tlentsin, reported that the prospects for the continuance of peace were more favorable. Today, however, news was received that war between China and Japan had been declared. There have also been rumors that several Japanese warships are

The information received here is meager, and the exact status of affairs in Corea cannot be learned. Telegraph communication from Corea is interrupted.

Purchasing Arms for China-

NEW HAVEN, July 27.-Two representatives of the Chinese government are in this city purchasing arms. They visited the Winchester Repeating Arms company and the Martin Fire Arms company, and it is stated left orders which are to be

Crisp Visits the President.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Speaker Crisp was at the White House yesterday, and his visit with the president caused a renewal of the comment as to the interest of the administration in supporting the tariff position of the house. Mr. Crisp declined to say anything concerning the conference, or to even intimate whether the tariff deadlock between the houses was a subject of discussion. Representatives Kilgore, of Texas, and Bynum, of Indiana, the latter a member of the ways and means committee, also saw the president. Mr. Kilgore thinks that the house too with one of the uprights gave way, will yet win the struggle, and so told the president. To his callers Mr. Cleveland about thirty feet.

expressed the same determination shown Colonel Mason was born in Bradford in the letter to Unairman Wilson.

The Bennington Ordered Home.

WASHINGTON, July 27 -Secretary Herbert vesterday ordered the Bennington, now at La Libertad, Salvador, to leave at once for San Francisco, and has received word that she sailed Wednesday night. The Bennington has on board General Antonio Egeta and three others of the Salvadotau refugees, whose cases have attracted wide attention. The United States consul at La Libertad has been notified to inform the present government of Salvador that the United States reserves its de-tision as to the former disposition to be mare of the refurees, and a conclusion robab's will be reacted by the tune the Bellington arrives at San Francisco.

Deserted by Their Leaders.

WASHINGTON, July 27.-Large and indignant delegations from the industrial armir encamped about Washington applied at the room of the house committee on labor to plead for assistance. Coxey's men said that their hader had left them heahe lurch Kelly's men averred that their leader had drifted away several days ago and that they did not expect to see him again, while fire's men said the r leader had propolly deserted them. Mr. McCann teld them there was not the slightest change of a government appropriation for their return and sent them to the local sayer atendent of charaties.

Purillyt torbett Homeward Bonnd.

Queens poan, July 17 - James Corbett, the puglist, sinclifor New York yesterday on board the White Star line steamer Maje-tic Before leaving he said that he was returning to the United States sooner than he expected in order to meet Peter Jackson and arrange a match with him before the latter started for England. He said that he would not be prepared to nght Jackson for six in aith. This would would be his last tight and he intended to be in perfect condition when the battle

A. R. U. Strikers Sentenced.

CHETENNE, Wyo., July 27 - Judge Riner, in the A R U strike cases, yesterday sentenced Thomas King, of Rock Springs. to twenty days imprisonment for threatening to hang an engineer and fireman unless they quit work. Nick Bucher, Green River, to imprisonment for thirty days for assaulting a fireman; C. R. Miller and Will Embrey, Chevenne, imprisonment for one day and a fine of \$15 respectively for attempting to induce an employe to stop work. ____

No Foreign Flags in Procession.

ScottDale, Pa. July 27 - There was no trouble over the disarming of the coke strikers. Under orders from the sheriff the strikers have been advised by their lenders to give up their arms, and all but a few of the more ignorant and determined have con-ented to do so. At New Haven a company of sixty armed men turned their galls over to Burgess Newcomer. An order has also been made prombang toreign flags in processions.

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DOWN A SHAFT TO DEATH

A Mine Superintendent and a Mine Foreman Killed and Two Others Injured. WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 27 .- A num-

ber of Lehigh Valley Coal company officials yesterday went on a tour of inspection of the Exeter mine, one of the company's collieries at West Pittston. The party comprised Superintendent A. C. Mason, of Pittston; Robert S. Mercur, of the Lehigh Valley engineering corps, of this city; Professor Barrell, of Lehigh university, and Inside Foreman William Wilson. With the party was the foreman, Jacob Gates. While going up the cold air shaft, which is a second opening for the Exeter shaft, the bottom of the carriage gave way and precipitated the men to the bottom.

Gates, the foreman, when he felt the timber giving way, grasped the side of the bunting and held on until rescued. Colonel Mason was killed by the shock, Inside Foreman Wilson was fatally injured, and died soon afterward. Mr. Mercur was badly and Professor Burrell slightly injured. He and Mr. Mercur

were taken to the Puttston hospital. The Exeter shaft is the one in which, in 1870, twenty-seven men and boys met death from suffocation by the burning of the breaker, which was directly over the shaft. The second opening, where the accident occurred yesterday, has not been used as a traveling way, and was in use ye-terday because of repairs in the main shaft. Foreman Gates says the accident was due to the carriage getting caught in the side guides, and the rope continu-ing to pull, the cross beams at the junc-

county, this state, and received his rudimentary education at Towarda, where he was fitted for the Susquehanna collegiate institute. He completed his studies at Worcester, Mass. He was educated with a view to becoming a civil engineer, but he entered a bank in Scranton, where he remained until 1579. In 1501 he assisted in raising 200 men when the call was made for volunteers. Before the command reached Harrisburg he was promoted to second lieutenant, and further promoted to adjutant the same year. At the battle of South Mountain he was distinguished for bravery, and was favorably mentioned by the line officers. After this action Le was selected by General Robert E. Meade as a member of his staff, with the rank of colonel.

Death of General Pleasanton.

PHILADELPHIA, July 27.—General Augustus J. Pleasanton died here yesterday afternoon, after a lingering illness, of ppeumonia. He was born in Washington eighty-six years ago and came of a distinguished family, his father, Stephen Pleasanton, having been associated with the national government for over half a century. The general graduated from the United States Military academy in 1826. After practicing law in this city for some years he enlisted in the Pennsylvania militis, and at the outbreak of the civil war was made commander of the Home Guard General Pleasanton was the originator of the theory that the sun's rays, when passed through blue glass, were particularly stimulating not only to vegetation, but to the health and growth of animals.

To Protect Our Border Laborers.

WASHINGTON, July 27 .- The sub-committee of the con.mittee on immigration, which had charge of Representative Lockwood's bill to protect American labor on the borders, reported it favorably to the full committee, with several changes. The bill forbids the employment in the United States of persons who retain foreign residence«, and is aimed against Canadians and Mexicans who come across the borders to work, particularly sailors on the great lakes, and imposes heavy penalties upon their employers.

Zeltung's Bullet Proof Coat.

NEW YORK, July 27 -Herr Zeitung, the Austrian who has invented a bullet proof military coat, gave a test of his invention in the armory of the Seventh regiment. Eight bullets of 12 caliber were discharged from a modern Winchester rule at the inventor, who stood at a distance of twenty vards. None of the builets pierced the coat, and there was no evidence of their impact on the bosom of the man's shirt. One of the balls pierced a medal attached to the coat and another went through a pine board 1% inches thick.

A New Japanese Minister.

WASHINGTON, July 27.-Mr. Gozo Tateno, who has represented the Japanese government as minister plenipotentiary to the United States, has been recalled and will start for Japan Monday next. The term of service in the Japanese diplomatic corps at any one post is three years. Mr. Tateno is succeeded as minister by Mr. Kakeno, a graduate of Yale college. In his native country he has been chief secretary of the house of peers, and is now vice minister of agriculture and com-

The Trouble Over.

A prominent man in town exclaimed the other day: "My wife has been wearing out her life from the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion. Her case baffled the skill of our best physicians. After using three packages of Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves she is almost entirely well." Keep your blood in a healthy condition by the use of this great vegetable compound. Call at John J. Chambers, 21 West Main Street opp. Runyons grocery, sole agent, and get a trial package free. Large sizes 50c and 25c.

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OFFICERS DISMISSED.

Convicted of Accepting Money for Police Protection.

OTHER PROSECUTIONS TO FOLLOW.

Captain Doherty and Wardmen Mechan and Hock, of the New York Police Force, Surrender Their Shields to the Police

NEW YORK, July 27.—The trial before the police commissioners of Captain Doh-erty and Wardmen Meehan and Hock, charged with accepting money for police protection, was concluded last night. Several witnesses were examined yesterday, among them Inspector Williams, who test fied to the good character of Captain Doherty.

When Captain Doherty himself was placed on the stand he said he had been seventeen years on the police force, and four years a caprain. As a patrolman his salary was \$1,500 a year, as a captain \$2,750. In 1995 he bought a house for which he paid \$15,600. Mr. Wellman, counsel for the prosecution, was getting deeply into his private affairs and the captain excitedly exclaimed that the figures had been obtained from Delancey Nicoll. whom he had retained to defend him before the Lexow committee. This Mr. Wellman denied. The captain also owned property in Brooklyn He made most of his money by stock speculation. On an outlay of \$200 he once made in five months \$22,060 He was a sergeant at the time, and did not know in what stock he spec-

It was 5 o'clock when the board arrived at a decision. The president read from a slip of paper the decision, which was that Captain Doherty and ex-Wardmen Meehan and Hock had been adjudged guilty. He stated that Commissioner Sheehan disagreed regarding guilt on the charge of accepting money, but he concurred as to neglect of duty and dismissal from the

"You are, therefore, dismissed from the force, said the president, addressing the accused captain. The three defendants then began to remove their shields, preparatory to turning them over to the board, but were told to sit down by the president until he had finished. "The board," he said, "desires me to in-

struct the superintendent to prefer charges against Sergeants George C. Liebers, Felix McKenna, Hugh Clark, J. O. Jordan and Charles A. Parkinson and Patrolmen W. Emanuel Meyer and Daniel F. Mallon.

Captain Doherty at this point offered his shield to President Martin, who made a motion to the captain to pass it to Superintendent Byrnes. Superintendent Byrnes refused to take it, and President Martin then took the shield, and also those of the other dismissed officers.

The sergeants were suspended from duty pending trial. They will be accused laving taken money from Mrs. Thurow, keeper of a disorderly house.

Lawyer Grant announced that he would apply for a writ of certiorari from the supreme court to have the captain rein-

Going Back to His Kingdom.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 27.-Prince Besolow, 26, son of the late King Armah, of the Vei tribe, in Africa, who was converted and fled the dark continent to Europe to escape the oppression of his people, has been notified of his reinstatement to the throne. He sails today from New York on the steam-hip Lucania for England, where he will visit Queen Victoria and deliver a course of lectures before returning to Africa. Prince Besolow has been a student in Williams college since

Maryland Congressional Nominees. OCEAN CITY, Md., July 27 .- The Democratic congressional convention yesterday nominated Joshua W. Miles for the F ftyfourth congress on the first ballot and W. Laird Henry for the unexpired term in the Fifty-third congress. A resolution that "the nominees of this convention shall be in full accord with the president on party principles" was defeated.

"Bat" Shea's Accomplice Convicted, Thoy, N. Y., July 27.-The jury in the case of John McGough, the pall of "Bat" Shea, charged with as-ault in the first degree in having snot William Ross, the brother of Robert Ross, at the spring election, brought in a verdict at midnight of guilty of the crime charged. The penalty a, fixed by law is twenty years imprison

Little Girls Drowned While Bathing, ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS, N. J., July 27.-Two Little girls. Katte Johnson and Sadie Hubbard, who had been sent bere for a two weeks' cuting by a New York fresh air association, were drowned vesterday afternoon while bathing in a poud on Chapel Hill.

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Mational Longue.

At Washington-Washington, 5; Philaadelphia, 4. At Boston-Brooklyn, 15; Boston, 9. At New York-New York, 16; Baltimore, 4. At Cleveland-Pittaburg, 9 Cleveland, 3.

Eastern League. At Syracuse -- Syracuse, 6; Buffalo, 5. At Providence-Providence, 10: Wilkes-

barre, 4. At Springfield—Binghamton, 12; Springfield, 11. Pennsylvania State League.

At Philadelphia-Philadelphia, 14; Harrisburg, 6. At Scranton—Scranton, 7; Reading, 2. At Allentown—Allentown, 7; Lancaster, 5. At Hazleton—Pottsville, 10; Hazleton, 3.

Wholesale Destruction of Counterfelts. WASHINGTON, July 27.—The committee appointed for the purpose by the secretary of the treasury yesterday completed the inventory and destruction of the counterfeit money, plates, etc., captured by the officers of the secret service bureau during the last sixteen months. In the lot were \$49,187 in counterfeit United States and national bank certificates, \$18,197 in counterfeit gold, silver, nickel and copper coins, 867 plates from which notes were printed, 169 dies for coins, and a large number of metal and plaster of Paris moulds, crucibles, etc., besides a quantity of what is known as "flash notes" used for advertising purposes.

Race War in Indiana.

SULLIVAN, Ind., July 27.—Trouble has broken out between the white and colored miners employed at the Island Coal com-pany's mine at Linton, fifteen miles east of this place. Wednesday night a colored miner got into a fight with a white man which led to other fights between the whites and blacks until it resulted in a regular race war. In the fights one white man was killed, and as a result excitement has been wrought up to a high pitch. The miners propose to drive out or exterminate their colored competitors.

Mrs. Beaic's Narrow Escape.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 27.-Mrs. Truxton Beale, daughter of the late James G. Blaine, had a narrow escape from death at Santa Monica beach. Mrs. Beale, her husband and a party of friends went to the north beach bath house, where they indulged in bathing in the big plunge. Three or four were in the water when Mrs. Ecale ventured beyond her depth and went under. Roy Jones, the proprietor, plunged in and saved her life, she having gone down a third time.

Meunier Geta a Life Sentenca

PARIS, July 27 .- Theodore Joseph Constance Mennier, the anarchist, who was recently extradited from England, was placed on trial here yesterday. Meunier, who had previously been sentenced to death, was charged with complicity in the explosions at Lobau barracks and at the Cafe Very. The verdict returned was guilty, but with extenuating circumstances. Mennier was thereupon condemned to penal servitude for life.

Mangled by a Bear.

PHILADELPHIA, July 27. - Mrs. Annie Fries, of Sansom street, visited the zoo yesterday, and when she reached the bear pit she leaned over the railing and patted a big brown grizzly. The bear retaliated by catching her right arm in his claws, and he held on for some minutes. When the woman was dragged away it was found that the arm was so badly injured that amprearon from the elbow will prob this be necessary.

sim by Her Drunken Husband.

West and Pauly 27.-At Duryea a mi in vi ige, John Rokoski, a miner, cam in the article, and on his wife rein this is with him he became crazy with ther and shot her through the head. Ine woman will die. He then turned the revolver on himself and fired two bullets into his head. They did not penetrate the skull and he will recover.

Fleeling from Forest Fires.

PRENTICE, Wis., July 27.—Homesteaders are flocking into this town in large numbers from the vicinity of Worcester. and report that not one has been able to save a dollar's worth of property from the forest fires which are raging in every direction. The town of Clifford, twelve miles from here on the Soo ranroad, is almost certain to be wiped out.

Wages Must be Reduced. Noarolk, Va., July 27.—The Atlantic and Danville Railroad company has notified all its employes, including officers, that their salaries will be reduced on Aug 1. The reduction in officers salaries will average 10 per cent, while that of the engineers and other trainmen will be much greater and with probably cause a

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Hot Winds in Kansas and Other States Drying Up the Growing Corn-Where the Thermometer Ranged from 90 to

OMAHA, Neb., July 27.-More withering blast never swept across parched Sahara than that which scorched the great plain between the Missouri river and the Rocky mountains. For two days the simoon had been blown from the southwest, and each day was hotter than its predecessor. On Wednesday the maximum temperature was 86 degrees at the highest point; yesterday it was 106. From all over the erritory tributary to Omaha, a strip of 100 miles north and south and 500 miles east and west, come reports of the terrible effects of the hot wind. Wherever the ground was already dry the growing corn has been baked. Where there was any moisture left there is still hope for the corn. A rain in twenty-four or thirtysix hours would be worth a great deal of money. Small grain has been harvested generally and will suffer none. Potatoes are faring better than corn. The latter crop is just setting in the ear and is therefore more susceptible to the heat.

A special from Chadron says rain fell there just after 5 o'clock last evening. The temperature there reached 108. At Superior, on the southern border of the state, the maximum was 112. All points reporting place the temperature at above 100. Very few pro-trations have been re-ported. A. M. Wright, private secretary to Governor Crounse, was overcome at his desk at the capitol at Lincoln while alone, and was found unconscious by a newspaper reporter. His condition is critical. A policeman was also overcome on the streets of Liucoln. He may recover. Two young men were slightly prostrated at the Lincoln depot.

Kansas' Destructive Hot Winds.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 27.-The mercury has been trying hard to climb past the 100 mark for the past three days, but the best it could do was 95 Wednesday and 97 yesterday. While the heat has been intense there has been so little humidity that no great suffering has re-sulted. The crops, however, have been seriously damaged. Telegraphic reports from western Kausas and Oklahoma are just as bad as they can be. The Kansas trops appear to be in danger of almost total destruction. The corn in many fields has burned up, and during the past three days hot winds have swept over tha western half of Kansas, leaving destruction in their path.

Record Breaking Thermometers.

St. PAUL, July 27.—As indicated by reports from various points in Minnesota, North and South Dakota and northern Iowa, yesterday was one of the hottest days ever recorded in the northwest. From 100 to 112 in the shade is reported. The long continued drought is proving disastrous to crops. Reports from northern Iowa say corn is injured beyond the power of rain to restore. Following are some of the records reported Mankato, 102. Faribault, 108, St. James, 106, Caledonia, 104, B rd Laland, 102, Yankton, S. D , 110, Verminion, 112; Sioux Falls, 110; Pierre, 104, Haron, 100; Bismarck, 110; West Union, In., 104; Sibley, 104, Aberdeep, N. D., 107.

Extraordinary Torridity.

CHICAGO, July 27 .- An abnormally low barometric condition, attended by extreme heat and brisk south winds, covers the middle Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys. An area throughout which the temperature yesterday afternoon excoeded 100 degs, embraces the states of South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, south half of Minnesota, western Wisconsin and the northwest part of Illinois. Throughout the entire Mississippi valley, Ohio valley, Texas and Indian Territory the temperatures considerably exceeded

Discouragement at St. Joseph.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 27 .- The thermometer reached 100 in the shade here yesterday, and the weather reports from Kansas and Nebraska are very discouraging. The railroad officials in St. Joseph are feeling very blue. Reports received at the Burlington headquarters are to the effect that the skies are clear and high, and hot winds are blowing. About the same conditions are reported from the St. Joseph and Grand Island country, and unless rains come very soon the crop of corn will be lost.

Sweltering in Iowa.

WATERLOO, Ia., July 27.-Yesterday was the hortest of the year, thermometers regist rangled in the shade. A terribly hot

Just Barried.

How low any they are, this salways h we had great experience as a nurse, a sure sign. After the first veir and midwife for the last five or six sometimes it don't hold go ed. When years, and I have never found any. Charles comes home to you grouty thing so good as Gilmore's Aromatic and cross, shapping and snaritt. unable to relish the nice dinner you A have cooked, and feels as if there was a ton of pig iron in his stomach, he is troubled with dyspepsia, and Sulphur Bitters is the only medicine that will cure him.

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He made his statement, he said, in the

After some general remarks by Mr. Stewart against the Interference of the executive with the legislative branch of the government Mr. Hill's motion that the senate recede from its amendments placing a duty of forty cents a ton on coal ment against it. The vote on free fron stood 6 to 65 and on free coal 6 to 64. Mr. Irby, of South Carolina, was the only

Mr. Washburne (Me) renewed Mr.

pression is that the bill will go back to The day's proceedings in the house were dull in the extreme, and one by one the members lett their desks, until by 3-9 o'clock there were not a half hundred members in the chan, ber. The conference report on the fortifications appropriation bill was agreed to. The day had been as-

Representative Holman, the chairman of the house Democratic caucus, says that the house Democrats will probably caucus on the tariff bill when it is returned from the next conference. He does not think an agreement will be reached by the conferees without instructions, and anticiputes that another report of a disagreement will be returned to both houses. In

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Hevin got the hind legs of my grasshopper glued on in proper shape with my Magic cement, and hevin given the critter



parilla to pur enthooslasm into his vital parts, I rid over to the young and ambishus town of Happy Day to do bizness. I was talkin to

THE MAN WITH THE seekin to arouse PERFORMIN HOG. an interest when a feller who had jest cum into town with a performin hog and was tharfore jeal'us of me pushes his way to the front and sez to me:

"Stranger, will that 'ere Magie cement glue a couple of wings to my shoulders. that I may riz up and fly fur, fur from

"I hain't sayin she won't," sez I, "but I hain't givin no guarantce."

"And about that Cherokee sassyparilly," he goes on, smilin as sweet as a baby, "does it remove corns and bunyons. cure consumpshun, restore lost specrits, invigorate the liver and take the place of whisky, quinine and mustard plasters?"

"I wouldn't go fur to say she'll do all that," sez I, wonderin what sort of a fuss the critter was itchin fur, "but if she don't put more ambishun into yer soul than a bar'l o' dried apples I'll cheerfully refund the money. She's a sassyparilly what gits right up and hustles fur 24 hours in a day, but I hain't claimin she'll make Cherokee an earthly paradise."

"And, stranger," he goes on as he begins to prance around a leetle, "whyfor that grasshopper in a bottle? What's that inseck bin 'a' doin agin yer rights or the laws of this yere territory that he should be kept bottled up all by hisself?"

"He's my livin proof," sez I, lookin over the crowd and seein they was all agin me. "I'm goin to take him outer the bottle and break him in two and cement him together agin. It'll sorter depress his specrits and make him homesick, and tharfore I'll foller is with a dose of my Cherokee Sassyparilly to cheer him

"But I'm agin it!" he yells as he gallops around. "Everything in Cherokee has rights, and durn my hide if I'm goin to stand by and see an inseck walked on fur to show off some critter's peartness!"

"But he hain't doin no kickin hisself," sez I, with the power of truth on my side. "On the contrary, he's a feelin it his cheerful dooty to assist me in convincin the public that the

varchews of my preparashuns can't be ekaled on the face of this airth."

But the man with the performin hog had the crowd with him, and they fell on me and tried to eut short my career. I got away with the grasshop-

per, but they was kickin the enthooslasm outer my fur the town of Pilsassyparilly and GRIM'S ROOST. the fraternal specrit outer my Magic co-

ment when I left. I was lettin the ole cayuse hev his head fur the town of Pilgrim's Roost when I cums along to whar a critter was stakin off half an acre of ground. I stopped and watched him fur awhile, and then I sez:

"Stranger, I begs yer pardin." "What fur?" sez he, lookin up fur the

fust time. "I begs yer pardin fur axin a question which hain't none o' my bizness. If ye hain't too perticklerly occupied, would ye mind tellin me what the half acre is fur?"

"Victims!" yells he, beginnin to amble around and work his cars. "Whose victims, if it hain't agin good

manners?" "Mine"

"Whar ye goin to git 'em?"

"They'll cum right along yere on foot and on hosses and mewls!"

"Stranger," sez I, smiling as bewtifully as I could, "then I must take it that yo ar' layin out a private graveyard?"

"Lar"!" he yells as he jumps up and cracks his beels together,

"Is it to be all yer own?"

"All my own!" "Waal, it's sich industries as helps huild

up a new kentry and adds to its charms, Thar's room out yere fur a thouyere for a chousand enterprisin criters like ye, and I wish we had 'em. Ar' that yer widder down that by the

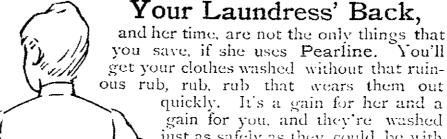
dugoutzer "My widder? Hain't ye about 30 Hain't yeahout ; years too soon?"

"Mebbe I ar ON A RES FOR HIS and mebbo not, FAMILY DUGOUT. Hey ye had any partickler fuss with any pertickler varmint around yere since ye staked out?"

"Jest one fuss with one varmint. He was a reptile who thought he owned the creek below. I shot at him, but he got away. I wanted his karkass fur my private graveyard, but was disappointed. Hey ye seen him, stranger?"

"I'm a believin I hey," sez L "Scuse me while I git outer range, fur he's a-lyin on that knoll over than and has the drap on yet. Before ye go mebbe ye'd like to pint out the pertickler spot on this half acre whar ye'd like to repose fur the next thousand y arsen

He hooted a host and started on a run



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WILSON TALKS.

Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling periectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did. to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age and what my fether did not be the what tell are a present and the present when I was of his age and what my fether did not be the mean that a state of the present when I was of his age and what my fether did not be the mean that a state of the present when I was of his age and what my fether did not be the mean that a state of the present when I was of his age and what my fether did not be the mean that a state of the present when I was of his age. self when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from fail-

ure as justified by the natural ability he may possess,

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him
the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until
I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy ank secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women. Which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man-I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman-for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch-God bless the old fellow-and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

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fur his fam'ly dugout, 40 rods away, but he hadn't made six jumps when he lay down and was no more. His wife cum runnin up, and the sheeter cum loafin along, and arter the three of us had gazed at the late deceased for awhile the woman

inquars: "Which one o' ye critters popped over my ole man so sudden?"

"I hey that honor, ma'am," sez the stranger as he litts his hat and bows at most to the ground.

"What did ye go to do it fur?" "Fur to give his private graveyard a

boom, ma'am. I didn't want to see sich an enterprisin kuss make a failure of his agricultural speckulashun fur want of a fust plant." "Waal," sex she arter a bit and lookin a

lectle more cheerful, "I'vo got seven strappin big sons, and every one of 'em has got a gun and knows how to shute. In course some of 'em will call and ax fur explana-"Sartinly, ma'am, sartinly," he smil-in'ly replies. "I perfeckly understand yer

feelin's about it. It took me seven y'ars to find the feller who killed my ole dad, but I waited on him. Is this any o' yer fuss, stranger" he sez as he turns to me. "Nary a bit," sez I. "In course my

sympathies go out more or less to ards the widder in this hour of darkness, but not sufficiently fur any more shootin. I'm bound fur the town o' Pilgrim's Roost to sell my Magic cement and Cherokee sassyparilly. Make no mistake. One mends the fam'ly crockery and sich, and the t'other arouses the enthoosiasm of the vital specrits."

"Kin that same sassyparilly arouse the vital specrits of my ole man yere?" asks the widder.

"I hain't savin she would, ma'am," I replies, "bekase his vital speciits hev fled, and thar hain't nuthin fur the sassyparilly to grip on to. If he'd only taken a dose afore he started for the dugout, things mought hev bin different. I'm sorry, ma'am, stremely sorry, but he"--

"Ob, that's all right. I-allus knowed he'd go this way, as he was nighsighted and powerfully keerless."

"Guess we'll joy along together," sez the stranger to me as he got ready. "And ye'll scuse me, ma'am, fur not stoppin to the funeral. I've got a heap on my mind jest now and couldn't say nuthin to console ye anyhow. Glimne a decentish show on them seven sons o' yers, will ye? I mean don't send 'em all a-campin on my trail to once. Good day to ye, ma'am. I'll be lookin fur to see yer ole man's head board next time I ride this way!" AUSHIN KLENE.

Maker and Made.

A remarkable argument is said to have been once made by a German adventurer who was lecturing in London, his themebeing the great glory of mechanics as a

"I tell you w'at." announced this learned gentleman to an interested and amused audience, "de ting dat is made is more superior as de maker. I shall show you how it is mit some tings. "Subbose, now, dat I make de round

wheel on de coach. Ver' well. Dat wheel roll 500 mile! An me-I cannot roll one single leetle mile! "Subbose I am de gooper, an I make de

big barrel for to hold de sauerkraut. Dat

barrel he hold gallon an ton! An me-I cannot hold more as two, tree quart, mein friends-not more as two, tree quart!" His audience evidently saw the point, to dge from their applause, and the er, beaming with satisfaction at his own powers of argument, proceeded to other

branches of his subject .- Youth's Com-Pose.

His was the fierceness of desperation. "You must take me just as I am," he exclaimed, "or not at all."

For an instant only she contemplated "As you like," she observed, not without a tincture of regret in her manner,

'but I am sure you will be sorry''-She reached for her kodak, -'that you didn't look pleasanter and hold your chin just a trifle higher.

-Detroit Tribunc. English as She Is Spoke. "Do ze rain come down from ze clouds

or up from ze ground?" asked the French-

"Down from the clouds, of course," answered the American. "What put the foolish idea into your head that it came

up from the ground?" "I just hear one of your countrymen say he expect a shower to come up soon. -New York Press.

An American Father. Neighbor-Now that you hey succeeded in givin y'r sons and daughters a college education, what are ye goin to do

Mr. Wayback—Waal, I dunno, but I've been thinkin I'd better move out of town so I won't disgrace 'em.-New York

Application of the Principle.

Mother-Johnny! Johnny! What are you hitting that little boy for? Johnny-'Cause the boy that lives next door to him's been makin faces at a friend of mine. I'm goin to git even with somebody fur it, by cracky!-Chicago Tribune.

What He Loved.

Bingo-My wife is putting up some brandied peaches this year.

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Unflattering, but Veracious,

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my, do you wish me very many happy returns of my birthday? His Grandson, Tommy-'Cause on your birthdays you gimme suthin. - Chicago

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New York, July 26 -On the Stock Exchange today the great bulk of the transactions was in the shares of the American Sugar Refining company. Prices were forced down gradually, uncovering some stop orders which also added to the selling movement and increased the depression. Closing bids:

General Markets,

PHILADELPHIA, July 26.-Flour weak; winter super., \$2 1062.25; extras, \$2.2562.40; No. 2 winter family, 2.4062.50; state roller straight, \$2.60@2.75; western winter clear, \$2.50@2.65. Wheat weak, lower, with 53%c, hid and 53%c. asked for July. Corn firmer, dull, with 49c. bid and 4956c asked for July. Oats were quiet, steady, with 47%c. bid and 48%c. asked for July. Beef quiet: pickled bellies, 74%7%c Pork steady. Lard firmer; western steam. \$7.30; city, \$8.75. Butter steady; state creamery, prints, fancy, 21c.; do, choice, 20c.; do faire to good, 180/19c.; prints jobbing at 220/25c. Cheese duil. Eggs easier; New York and Pennsylvania, 150/151/4c.; western, 140/161/4c.

Live Stock Markets.

New York, July 26.-European cables quote New York, July 26.—European cables quote American steers at 84292c. per 10., dressed weights; refrigerator beef at 7428c. Calves steady; poor to prime veals, 5264c.; buttermik calves, inferior to prime, 3234c. Poor to prime sheep, 22.7524.1245 per 100 lbs.; inferior to choice lambs, 3425.15. Hogs higher; inferior to choice, \$5.7526.25.

East Librery, Pa., July 26.—Cattle un-changed. Hogs firm: Philadelphias. \$5.55%, 5.85; best Yorkers, \$5.39%, 60. Sheep steady on good, slow on common; sheep and lambs, ex-\$1.45; lambs, \$2.2564 25.

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Murdered by a Woman.

Reno, Nev., July 27.-Mrs. M. A. Hartley last evening shot and killed State Senator M. D. Feley. The cause of the shooting is not known. Mrs. Hartley is an artist and has rooms in the Bank of Nevada, where the shooting occurred. Mrs. Hartley has been arrested.

Drugged and Assaulted.

GREENPOINT, L. I., July 27. - Miss Mamie Kerrigan, a girl who came here from New York, was found lying unconscious just within the village. An examination by physicians disclosed the fact that she had been drugged and outraged. Her condition is critical.

Iright Caused Fever and Death. SHAMOKIN, Pa , July 27 - George Boughner, aged 17 years, died yesterday from brain fever, caused by severe fright that he sustained on July 4th, when several companions exploded a quantity of pow-

der under his chair. NUGGETS OF NEWS

Secretary Herbert next week will leave Washington for Alabama, to remain until after the elections

The board of freeholders of Morris county, N. J., made an appropriation to macadamize 182 miles of road.

North Dakota Democrats nominated Judge Templeton for judge of the su-preme court and Budd Reeves for cou-

Thomas Doran, a New York letter carrier, was stricken with the heat yesterday and died before the physicians could be summoned.

Thirty-one fourth class postmasters were appointed yesterday. At West Bainbridge, N. Y., E. F. Green was appointed; Halsey, N. J., Elmer Chase; Stanley, N. J., J. M.

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"Six thousand persons die in New York city every year from wasting diseases. This statement, in the light of the knowledge that everyone of these cases was in the first instance preventable, shows how desirable it is that everyone should understand how to avoid taking the disease."

These are the words of a wellknown physician, and here are some valuable suggestions made by him:

"It is indigestible food and food taken at the wrong time which causes that condition of the system which permits the taking of cold. Whatever tends to weaken digestion and impoverish the blood, hurts the entire system and opens the way to dis-

"The symptoms of indigestion are usually a flushed face, spots or blura before the eyes, flashes of light, zigzag lines or chains, sense of fulness. over the stomach, belching. despondency, etc., often followed by the most severe headaches. These symptoms are usually relieved when the gas is expelled from the stomach.

"Wnenever a person gets run down in strength, reduced in weight or becomes thin by reason of some wasting disease, it is very fashionable to commence what might be well called the stuffing process. Cod liver oil preparations, farinaceous foods, beef teas, concoctions of malt, oats, second rate wines and beef extracts are given to the unfortunate person continually, thus ruining what little digestive power he has left and causing untold suffering. If allowed to make a suggestion, I would say that in place of this, Paskola, the predigested food, should be given. This not only builds up sound healthy flesh but rests and strengthens the digestive organs in a remarkable

"Food to the body is what fuel is to the engine. Life ceases when nourishment stops, and the machinery won't go when the steam disappears.

"When a man suffers from indigestion there are seldom any fatal results, but when what the doctors call 'complications' set in, then is the time to pray.

"The germs of consumption have no power over healthy tissue. Before they can attack or injure anyone, that person must be run down in health in some way, either by worriment, exposure or cold, long continued indigestion, or over work or over study. Such persons should always exercise great care and use the best and most advanced discoveries. For this purpose Paskola is unequalled."

Paskola may be obtained of any reputable druggist. A pamphlet on food and digestion will be mailed free on application to the Pre-Digested Food Co., 30 Reade St., New York,

Wallace Burt Hanged. DOYLESTOWN, Pa. July 27.-Wallace

Burt, the half-breed murderer of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rightley, of Newtown, was hanged in the county jail at Doylestown yesterday. Burt was game to the last. He met his fate resignedly, and caused no scene at the critical moment. Burt was a-ked by the -beriff if he had anything to say The man replied, saying his fate was a warning to all wrong doers. He con-cluded: "I am glad God is merciful and forgives."

Corn Ruined by Drought.

KANSAS CITY, Kan., July 27.-For the past three days intense heat has prevailed all over the section. No rain has fallen for two weeks, and the corn crop in some places has been ruined, and unless rain falls soon the remainder will shrivel up. The damage to corn in western Kansas is believed to be incalculable.

Scalped in a Cotton Mill. SALEM, Mass., July 27 - While Ann

Leary, an employe of the Naumkeag cotton mills, was at work her long hair raught in a roller and her scalp was almost entirely torn from her head. She was removed to a hospital suffering in-tense agony, and in a dying condition. She cannot live.

Mgr. Satolli to Visit the Summer School, PLATTSBURG, N. Y., July 27 .- The Catholic summer school officials have received a letter from Monsignor Satolli, apostolic delegate, announcing that he would reach Plattsburg on Tuesday next, July 31. He

will be the guest of the summer school. Indicted for Kidnaping Her Child.

NEW YORK, July 27 -On a charge of kidnaping her own son Angle Battin was arrested yesterday in Greenwich, Conn. She is the wife of Richard Battin, a telegraph operator at police headquarters in this city. The two were divorced in 1888, and the court gave the father the custody of the two children Mrs Battin took the children to Greenwich, and was indicted for kidnaping. She will be extradited.

Charged with Brutal Wife Murder. Boston, July 27 .- Mrs. Margaree Mc-Manus, 40 years old, wife of John Mc Manus, aged 68, was found murdered in a bedroom in a tenement at 94 Hudson street, where the couple have been living. Her husband is under arrest charged with the crime. Officers found the wife lying on the hed with her throat cut and hacked. It is believed that the crime was

committed with an ax.

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HIS FIRST ATTEMPT. A Bachelor's Highly Interesting Experience

In the Tribulations of Housekeeping.

"I am passing through a novel and exceedingly interesting, even if not highly agreeable, experience just now," said a young newspaper man at one of the down town offices this morning. "I am going through the tribulations of the housekeeping side of marital life, although I have never yet led a bride to the chancel rail. Yesterday all my folks went away to the seashore, leaving only myself, the youngest of the family, and my sister, who is next older than me. to assume the cares of the household. Neither of us has had any experience in this line, and the results bid fair to be amusing, if nothing more, especially in the matter of preparing for breakfast, as both of us are late sleepers. This morning the first break occurred, and thus it happened. The servant is due at about 6 o'clock in the morning, and as I am a sound sleeper I instructed her to ring the bell vigorously and not to go away if she was not very promptly admitted, and I also told my sister, if she heard the boll, to awaken me, and I would let the girl in. Last night I was up till 2 o'clock writing, and consequently four hours later was in the soundest of my slumbers when the iceman came and left a cube of his wares on the steps. Just afterward the servant came and applied for admission. At first her vigorous rings on the loud gong, which is only one flight of stairs away from my room, produced no impression on my morning slumbers, but she followed my instructions and continued conscientiously to make that bell startle the whole neighborhood except myself and sister, whose alarm clock also did not have the slightest effect of

driving away unconsciousness. "At last I was partially aroused so that the ringing of the bell caused me to dream of fire engines, and in a few seconds all the horrors of a destructive fire passed through my reviving brain, and I saw myself running and shouting, and the engine steaming, and the firemen pursuing their heroic work of rescue. Then—I suppose her arm was tired the faithful servant pulled slow, steady strokes, and instantly my dream changed, and I found myself on a railway station going to join the family at the seaside. Suddenly these visions were dispelled, and the stern reality of the occasion was forced upon my unwilling mind as I reluctantly jumped up and removed the bars that hindered the servant's entrance. She was quite cheerful over the affair and said she had not been kept waiting for more than 15 minutes. Truly, the way of the head of the house is pleasant. "—Washington

THE TOUCAN.

A Queer South American Bird With an Extraordinarily Large Bill.

A queer kind is the toucan. It seems to have been made expressly to take charge of its huge banana shaped beak. which, in some species, is fully 7 inches in length and more than 2 inches in width—entirely out of proportion to its comparatively small body. This beak is the most brilliant possession of the toucan, being orange and black, scarlet and yellow or green and red, according to the species of the hird.

Its home is in the wild South American woods, where, mingled with the screaming of parrots, macaws and other tropical birds, is heard its monotonous cry, "Tucano, tucano!" from which its name is probably derived. It is a fruit eater, and climbing among the branches it gathers its food with its long beak, whose strength no stem can resist. The toucan nests in trees, and it is

uncertain whether it excavates its bur-

row or builds in a natural cavity. Nothing more comical can be imagined than the head of this creature, with its sparkling eyes and enormous, gayly colored beak, appearing from a hollow in the trunk of some forest monarch. It is said that the young birds are subject to the attacks of monkeys and birds of prey, and that when the parent bird is alarmed all she has to do is to poke her head out of the aperture leading to the nest. The assailant, seeing so huge a bill, fancies an animal of corresponding size behind it and leaves, without bow-

ing or saying farewell. Toucans are sociable birds and go in large flocks They make common cause

against their enemies, such as owls and falcons, which they surround and mob, as the rooks do in England. Having thus no need for protection, they are noisy and clamorous, like parrots and monkeys. The plumage is generally black, but

the throat is white, tinged with yellow and commonly edged beneath with red. The tail is nearly square or moderately rounded, with the upper feathers red and the lower scarlet. Alternations of the brighter colors are displayed in the feathers of the throat, the breast and

The bird is kept easily in confinement, and no doubt from early times many were brought alive to Europe. Some of its brilliant tints are very fleeting, and they often leave little or no trace after death, so that little idea of its beauty can be obtained from a stuffed specimen.—Philadelphia Times.

The Outlook.

Aunt Maria-I think you and Mr. Mann ought to get along nicely together. You know you both like the same peo-

hate the same people. Just think what nice long talks we shall have together. -Boston Transcript.

Matilda—Yes, and, what is better, we

Two chemists of Hamburg, MM. Forster and Nijland, have published some studies on the cholera infection, from which it appears that scap is one of the best known satilizers of water suspected of infection.

There is a laundryman in London who has a baby girl with 26 Christian names, each name beginning with a Wisconsin Republican Ticket.

MILWAUKEE, July 27 .- Major W. H. Upham, of Wood county, was nominated for governor yesterday by the Republican state convention on the first ballot of the day and the seventh of the convention. The other nominees are: Treasurer, Sew ell A. Petersson; attorney general W. H. Mylrea; superintendent of public instruction, J. Q. Emery; railroad commissioner, Dan J. McKenzie; insurance commissioner, W. A. Fricke; chairman of the state central committee, H. C. Thom.

An Illicit Still in New York. NEW YORK, July 27.-Internal revenue officers have made a raid on the works of an alleged illicit distillery on East Sixtythird street. Deputy Collector Terrence McGowan and Joseph Schneider surprised a force of German workmen employed in making illicit spirits. The business ostensibly conducted was the manufacture of yeast and vinegar and was owned by a company calling itself the New York Compressed Yeast company. The capacity of the still was 1,500 gallons a day.

The Enid Trouble Ended. GUTHRIE, O. T., July 27 .- Governor Renfrow left the city again yesterday, leaving Secretary Lowe acting governor. Lowe at once wired the war department requesting that the soldiers be withdrawn from Enid and Pond Creek, as they were no longer needed. The territorial administration has prevailed upon the railroad company to erect depots, so the trouble can practically be said to be ended.

Nominated to Succeed Beltzhoover. GETTYSBURG, Pa., July 27.-Colonel J. A. Stahl, of York county, was nominated yesterday by the Republican conference for congress in the Nineteenth district. The district is at present represented by Frank A. Beltzhoover.

Captured a Counterfelter at Work. NEW YORK, July 27 .- Secret service officers arrested a counterfeiter in the midst of his work, at 107 East Broadway. The prisoner is William Martin, an ex-convict. Martin was busily engaged turning out counterfeit dollars when cap-United States Commissioner Shields held him in \$500 bail for trial.

Another Southern Lynching.

CARLISLE, Ky., July 27.—Shortly after midnight a mob here broke down the jail doors, took out William Tyler, colored, and hanged him to the cross arm of a telegraph pole. Tyler had been put in jail to answer a charge of criminal assault upon a 13-year-old girl, whom he had choked and beaten.

A Preacher for Over Sixty Years. READING, Pa., July 27.-Rev. Francis

A. Hoffman, aged SS years, the oldest preacher in the Evangelical church in the United States, died at his home here. He was an active minister for over sixty years, and had charges in a number of

The "Swearing Dominie" Fined. HACKENSACK, N. J., July 27.-James H. Van Blarcom, the "swearing dominic" of Oakland, was fined \$50 by Justice Heath yesterday on the charge preferred against him by the S. P. C. A. Van Blarcom ap-Catchings Has a Walkover.

GREENVILLE, Miss., July 27.-The Re-

publicans of the Third congressional district met in convention and declined to make a nomination for congress against Senwal Catchings, the Democratic nomi-The Anti-Aparchist Bill Passed.

uties vesterday the government's antianarchist bill was adopted by a vote of

Paris, July 27.-In the chamber of dep-

368 to 163. Ryan Defeats Billy Smith. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 27.-The twenty round fight at welterweights for

the championship of the world, between "Mysterious Billy" Smith, of Boston, and Tommy Ryan, of Chicago, took place at the Twin City Athletic club before fully 4,000 people last night. Although not knocked out, Smith was declared beaten by the referee, who gave the battle to Ryan on points.

Troy's Baseball Club Disbanded. TROY, N. Y., July 27 .- After a consultation with President Powers, of the Eastern League, Manager Maloney vesterday noon disbanded the Troy Baseball club. The club had been losing money for several weeks, and more than \$1,000 in sala ries is due the players. No effort will be made to sell the franchise. A number of the players will enter the National League.

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FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1894. The vital a distics records of this

State show that the marriage rate has fallen during the year from 17.3 per 1,000 to 15.9. "Hard times" is the explanation of the decrease.

Buffalo Democrats are righteously indignant at the way in which Postmaster Baker is running the Post Office. He is out-Mugwumping the Mugwumps in his devotion to civil service reform and Democrats have ne show for appointment. He is even more tender of Republican holdovers than is President Cleveland, and that is entirely unnecessary.

The sales agents of the coal companies, through whom production is controlled and prices regulated, met, yesterday, and decided that too much coal had been mined in June and July, and that the market was too heavily stocked to warrant an adwas voted to restrict production to settled down to routine. 2,000,000 tone, which is forty percent. of the capacity of the companies.

The gold withdrawn from the Sub. Treasury, yesterday, for shipment to Europe, reduced the gold reserve to \$53,424,692,the lowest point yet reach ed. Bankers are agreed that at least \$2,500,000 more will be taken from the Treasury to-day for shipment tomorrow. Naturally the continued much uneasiness among prudent financiers, but the banks do not seem imprisonment. disposed to part with any of their holdings of gold for the purpose of reinforcing the Treasury.

The Republican Senators began, yesterday, to manifest a great deal of perpicious activity in regard to the tariff bill, and it is evidently their plot to assassinate the President of purpose to bemuddle the situation as | San Domingo. One of the conspiramuch as possible and to delay action | tors was shot. in every possible way. There is, however, this to be said, that, do their | FRENCH | DEPUTIES IN A FRENCH worst, they cannot muddle matters worse than the Democrats have al ready muddled them, and as for delay, the country is so used to that, that a week or a month longer can make but little difference.

Joseph Kinney, who was sunstruck in New York, Saturday, and whose temperature, after his removal to Bellevue Hospital, ran up to 110°, beyond which the clinical thermometer could not register it, died, yesterday afternoon. The unfortunate man was packed in ice, but it was could not be kept there for, yesterday, despite the ice pack it rose to Seo il. 1090 and death resulted. The case is of unusual interest to physicians, for there is on record of anything The General Term Affirms the Judglike it, although very high temperatures in cases of sunstroke are not unusual.

Temperatures of from 100 to 1129 were reported, yesterday, in the middle Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys. A hot dry wind, like a breath from a furnace, blew all day at the rate of thirty miles an hour burning and scorching vegetation of all kinds. The corn crop, already withered from lack of rain, shriveled in the blazing heat and the leaves curled up in solid rolls. The damage done can scarcely be estimated for, even if rain should come within a day or two, corn cannot recover from the effects of yesterday's withering blasts and unless rain comes soon the crop in all the section swept by yesterday's hot wind will prove a total failure,

The Constitutional Convention's Committee on Preamble having voted unanimously in favor of the proposition forbidding the Legislature to award for the loss of a human life, with the Populists. the Central-Hudson River Railroad, which always takes the lead when fine work in the interest of the railroads is to be done, sent its attorneys to Albany, who induced the Committee to re-open the matter. Then the railroad's representatives got in their work and, yesterday, the Committee voted, eight to three, to report the proposition unfavorably. The interest that the railroads have in refrom the fact that, last year, 742 persons were killed on the railroads in this State.

Real Estate Notes.

-Frederick Northrup, of the Times 184 East Main etreet. Price private, | packages 50c and 25c.

TO FIGHT FOR COREA

Confirmation of the Report That War Has Been Declared Between China

By United Press.

Shanghai, July 27 .- The statement that war has been declared between China and Japan is confirmed by a dispatch to Lloyds.

The statement is now generally accepted as true that a fight, in which Japan was victorious and in which a number of Chinese transports were sunk, took place Wednesday.

London, July 27 -Agents of the Chinese Government have received a dispatch confirming the reports that war has been declared between China and Japan.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 27 .-Neither the State Department nor the Chinese or Japan embassies have any news of the declaring of war between China and Japan.

QUIET DAY IN THE SENATE.

No Trace of Excitement-The Army Appropriation Bill Considered By United Press.

Washington, July 27.—There was a slim attendance in the gallery of the Senate when it assembled to-day. Gorman and Vilas were on hand early. There was an entire absence of vance in prices, which it was intend- the air of expectancy that prevailed ed to make. To get the trade in | in the Senate during the early part of shape for higher prices later on it the week, and matters have apparently

> After the transaction of routine business the conference report on the army appropriation bill was taken up.

M'GOUGH'S HEAVY SENTENCE.

Nineteen Years and Six Months for Shooting William Ross, By United Press.

Tror, July 27 .- McGough, convicted of assault in the first degree in shooting Wm. Ross at the election reduction of the reserve creates on March 6th, was sentenced to-day to nineteen years and six months

> PLOTTING AGAINST SAN DOMINGO'S PRESIDENT. By United Press

New York, July 27-The steamer Saginaw, from San Domingo, brings news of the recent discovery of a

DUEL-By United Press.

Paris, July 27-Deputies Clemensau and Deschanel fought a duel with swords, to-day. Clemensau pierced the cheek of his antagonist, making a painful wound.

MARINES LANDED AT SEOUL.

To Protect the American Legation-Capture of the Corean King. By United Press

Washington, July 27 .- A despatch to the Navy Department says the Corean King has been taken prisonseveral days before his temperature | er by the Japanese. Marines have was reduced to normal, 99.80, and it been landed from the Baltimore to protect the American Legation at

M'KANE'S CONVICTION SUSTAINED

ment of the Court Below. By United Press.

BROOKLYN, July 27 .- The General Term of the Supreme Court, to-day, handed down a decision austaining the conviction of John Y. McKane, Coney Island's ex-Chief of Police.

NOT AN INSEPERABLE PART OF THE UNION, By United Press.

ALBANY, July 27 .- The Constitutional Convention has agreed with the adverse report on the amendment declaring the State to be an inseperable part of the Union.

COXEYITES MARCHING ON NEW YORK By United Press.

CAMBUN, N. J., July 27 .- A body of Coxeyites, under the leadership of Carl Brown, arrived, last night, en route to New York.

> FUSION WITH POPULISTS. By United Press.

GRAND FORES, N. D., July 27,-The Democrats of North Dakota, in State limit the damages which a jury may | Convention, last night, voted to fuse

> TWENTY-FIVE LIVES LOST. By United Press

St. Petersburg, July 27 .- A steamer ran down and sunk a ferryboat near Grodno, to-day. Fourteen passengers were drowned and eleven fatally crushed.

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TREASON IN THE AIR.

Jacobites Still "Agen" the Government, but the Latter Doesn't Seem to Mind.

A segourner in the British metropolis says in a regent letter. Treason has been in the English or this we k. The Jacobite clab, the members of which deny Queen Victoria's right to sit on the British throne, has been celebrating the anniversary of the e-cope of that crowned debauchee, Charles II, from his enemies and togsting the house of Stuart and unius ou to the usurper. A sort of conterence of traitors was held at Holywell, Huntingdonshine. The delegates gathered in the parler of an ancient inn, ato and Crank heartly and cheered a numbor of walltons telegrams from branches unable to raise sufficient cash to send delegat s. The includers had hoped that the germeent telegraph department with avereinsed to accept the disloyal dispatches, and they had prepared a stinging manifesto denouncing the tyraphical usurpers, but the presaic goveriment calmly took their shillings and forwarded their telegrams with no more fuss than would have been caused by the handing in of messages respecting the price of pork. There was some bitterness, therefore, in the festive cup, but the delegates finally eased their feelings by drinking, with three times three and the subsequent ecremonial of the breaking of glasses, the health of "Mary

It should be explained that the lady so honored is a stout, elderly Bavarian princess, who, according to the Jacobite faith, should now be wearing the British crown instead of Queen Victoria. In case the story should have reached America, it is just to say here that Mr. F. C. Bell, secretary of the Thames Valley Jacobite club, formally denies the statement that the members of the league are in the habit of sticking stamps upside down on their letters in order to show their contempt for the reigning usurper. Mr. Bell admits, however, that "there was a member of the order of the White Rose whose intellect is about on par with his wit" who made such a suggestion at a meeting of the league. But, Mr. Bell solemnly avers, "his proposition was scouted by all right thinking men as not only ungentlemanly, but unmanly." The individual in question is understood to be the Hon Stuart Erskine, one of the founders of the queer little Jacobite newspaper which had only a short and very checkened career. Sad to say, after quarreling with all his fellow traitors, Mr. Erskine reverted to dull respectability and is now a loyal subject of Queen Victoria.

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10 pieces all wool French Suiting, fancy and black, 25c., regular price 45c.

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Dotted Swiss, new styles, 121 cents, regular price 25c.

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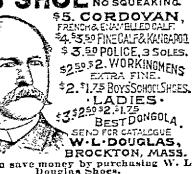
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Canvas Dress Facing 14c. a yard, was 20c.

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Cotton hair cloth 5c. a yard,

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Japanese Paper Naptine 25 cents a hundred Ladies' Fine Taffeta Gloves 12% cents, were 25 cents. Handsome Japanese Fans given to every customer. Ladies' Furnishings.

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DAILY ARGUS.

OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS. By United Press. Washington, July 27 .- Fair; warmer; south winds.

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day 7 a, m., 720; 12 m., 850; 3 p. m., 940.

AMUSEMENTS AND RECREATIONS. -Aug. 1 - Cooperstown vs. Assluins, on Hospital grounds -Aug. 6 Cuban Giants vg. Asylume, on Hospital grounds. —Aug. 12—Lecture by Rev. Lyman Ward, at Assembly Rooms.
—Aig. 15—Twenty-righth annual pienic of Middletown Division, No. 1, A. O. H., at Mennerchor Park.

-Aug 16-Annual clam bake of Millard Division, O 18 C. at Livingston Manot.

-Aug 21 24-Middletowa Horsemen's Association races, at Campbell track. -Aug 25-Lecture by Rev J D Grooby, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

-Great are sale of groceries by Ritter & Beyea, at their old stang--Six cents a pound for No. 1 mackerel at J. W. bloat's -Prints and percales cheap at Geo. B. Adams & Co.'s. to-morrow.

-First class confectionery store for sale.
-J. M. Phillips will discontinue his meat route after Aug 1st
—Cut prices on hot weather goods at Car-son & Lewner's--Household goods at auction, at 25 Knapp avenue, Monday

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-In the town of Windsor, cut of forty-two births recorded, this year there are only two male babies.

-McQuoid Engine Company will drill at the Assembly Rooms, this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. -There will be a meeting of the Middletown wheelmen at the Commercial Hotel, at 8:39 this evening, and a full attendance is desired,

-The hop-growers' annual picnic will be held at Sylvan Beach, tomorrow. A number of railroad men from this city will attend.

-Tickets for the King's Daughters' Mary Powell excursion, Aug. 1st, are now for sale at Hanford & Herton's book store and Oiney's urug store.

-The repository of the Kingston Carriage Company was badly damaged by fire, Wednesday right. The luss is about \$20,000.

-A Wilbur woman dropped a pockerbook containing about \$17 into the river at Kingston, Tuesday. Boys have been diving for it ever since, but without success.

-The Ellenville Journal says C. D. Delamater, of Summitville, will remove to Middletown Aug. 1st and will engage in the hack business. -The exhibition of the fire extin-

evening, was like all its predecessors a success. The fire was extinguished in a few seconds.

-The Chester News says that the published accounts of the stabbing of John Corcoran by his brother James, in that village, Saturday night, are grossly exaggerated.

-N. Fleming and a party drove from Hancock, across the Delaware, to pick raspberries. They tied the horse in the woods and when they returned later in the day they found the animal dead, having hung itself by the tie-strap.

-A correspondent of the Ellenville Press urges that a militia company be organized in that village to take the place of the old 24th Separate Company, which was disbanded by Gov. Cornell, when he reduced the National Guard.

-The wood acid men fear that if the tax on grain alcohol used in the arts is repealed wood alcohol will be driven from the market. The wood alcohol trust, although factories have been run on short time since July 1st, has over 500,000 gallons on hand.

-A horse which was being driven by Mrs. Julius Jungman, of New York, took fright at a trolley car in Newburgh, yesterday, and becoming A Case of Stone Throwing. unmanageable dashed the carriage against a post. Mrs. Jungman and her daughter were thrown out and quite seriously injured.

street, this evening, and hear nine-year-old Georgie Clark, one of the live in the neighborhood. Captain "Fresh Air Fund" children, recite the "Sailor Boy" and the "Newsboy," either one of which is well worth the price of admission, ten

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Will M. Millspaugh has gone to Rockland for a few days' visit.

Brooklyn, is visiting her parents in

-Mr. Clifford A. Owen, of Middletown, is visiting friends in Monticello -Republican.

-Mrs. C. Klohs and son left town on Erie train 1 for Rochester, where they will visit friends.

-Mrs. M. Dougherty, of Myrtle avenue, was in New York, yesterday, visiting relatives and friends.

-Miss Alma Evans, of Middletown, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Chris Forgerson at Mt. Salem .- Wantage Re-

-Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Weller start, to-morrow, on an extended trip through the New England States and ness, take on every trip a bottle of Canada. They will leave New York ping at Newport and Boston, going liver and bowels, preventing fevers, pinch of the powder, just before

bany and down the Hudson to New York.

-Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith, of Middletown, are visiting his mother and brothers at the old homestead, near Johnson.—Wantaye Recorder.

-Mrs. Wm. F. Fuller and son, Otis of Middletown, have been spending some time at the Mance cottage, Cragsmoor.—Ellenville Journal. -Mr. F. S. Blennis, of Albany,

formerly manager of the Union Pacific Tea store, was in town, last evening, calling upon his friends.

-Hon. Andrew J. Durland, President of the Durland Trust Company, of Norfolk, Neb., and his wife, arrived in town last night. They came by way of the Lakes and the Thousand Islands and expect to spend several weeks in this city and vicinity.

A SMALL FIRE.

In Brink and Clark's Hardware Store-Caused by a Spark from a Bonfire,

At about half past eight o'clock, last night, smoke was seen issuing from the windows of the hardware store of Brink & Clark. An alarm was sent in from box 26, and Eagles and Excelsiors were at work on the fire before the bell ceased to ring.

The fire was located under a work bench in the tin shop on the second floor. Eagles carried their hose up on the elevator and put on a stream.

The room was so full of smoke that nothing could be seen for some time, and doubtless more water was used than would otherwise have been necessary.

But little damage was caused by fire, but the water ran through upon the stock on the first floor and caused very considerable damage.

There seems no doubt, whatever, that the fire originated from a spark from the bonfire on the Foundry lot, where an exhibition of a patent extinguisher was given at 8 o'clock. A pane of glass was broken out of the window just over the spot where the fire occurred and through this opening the spark entered.

It was reported on the street that the fire was put out by the extinguisher, but it was not used in the building at all.

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

Will the City be Called Upon to Pay Damages for Brink & Clark's Fire? An Alderman said to an Argus man, to-day: "Who gave permission for the bonfire on Foundry street, last night?"

The Argus man gave it up, for the same question had been asked him by several merchants, who say they guisher on the Foundry lot, last are not allowed to burn a handful of

of papers on the street. A gentleman of an observing turn said to a reporter, to-day, and he was right, too that if it could be estabhebed that the fire in Brink & Clark's I'm afraid-well, Hiram." said he, store was caused by the bonfire on after a thoughtful pause, "I guess the Foundry lot, the city was liable I'll have to have more evidence bethe Foundry lot, the city was liable for the damages and that it didn't fore I sentence you."-Honesdale matter whether official consent was given for the bonfire or officials neglected to prevent it.

It would seem that Middletown's liabilities for damages are unlimited. and unless there is a new deal somewhere we had better seek out an indemnity or easualty company, if one could be found to take such risks, to insure us against damages, and pay so much per year.

One satisfaction about such a plan would be that we would always know just how much it would cost us for damages for falls on imperfect sidewalks, whether rendered so by the action of the elements or the carelessness of property owners or city officials, and for damages by floods,

fire, tempest or lightning, etc., etc. There is nothing like knowing just where you stand in a business way, and this rule applies no less to cities and villages than to individuals.

Mrs. John Edwards, of No. 6 South Railroad avenue, appeared in the court room this morning with her twelve-year-old son. The latter ex--Go to the Loyal Temperance Le-glon, W. C. T. U. rooms, 134 North mother claimed was the result of live in the neighborhood. Captain Grier took their names and promised to investigate the matter.

A Stolen Horse.

Horse thieves are still at work. Capt. Grier received a postal, this morning, from Ridgewood, N. J. asking him to look out for a sorrel horse, fifteen and a half hands high, -Miss Mamie Schellengberg, of white face, fourteen years old; also top two-spring wagon, green box, red running gear. A reward of \$25 is offered for its recovery.

Recovering from a Terrible Injury,

Master Richard Cochran, who met with an accident several weeks ago, by which he lost his left arm, is recovering rapidly at Thrall Hospital He is allowed to sit up every day and the wound is healing nicely. He will not return to his home, however, for some little time.

When Traveling.

Whether on pleasure bent or busi-Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, thence to Portland, Me. and the beadaches and other forms of sick-headaches and si bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup place they will go to Saratoga, Al-Co. only.

CARE OF CHILDREN MADE EASY.

How a Middletown Mother tiways Knows Where to Find Her Baby. Many a hard-working and tired

out housewife with a little child to care for and not the spare time to d) it, might learn something from a mother in this city, whose time is fully occupied with her household cares, but who has a little toddler who requires fresh air and is unable to care for himself when out of doore.

Instead of tying the little fellow in his chair or penning him in a room where he will get no freeh air or sunshine, she ties a rope around his walst with the knot at his back where he cannot reach, and fastens the other end to a post on the back stoop and turns the youngster loose.

The rope is about fifty feet long and the child can go into any room on the first floor, to any part of the back yard or even to the sidewalk where he can see what is going on in the outer world, but he can't get any farther and when his mother wants him she always knows where to find him-at the end of the rope.

IT IS A MYSTERY STILL.

No New Developments in the Matter of the Find in the Black Birt Meadows.

There are no new developments in the matter of the finding of the bloody garments on the black dirt meadows, on Wednesday, by Mr. W. H. Townsend. The police and coroner have failed to get any clue that would aid in the solution of the mystery.

There is little doubt, however, that the facts will come out sooner or later for whether a crime that will call for the intervention of officials has been committed or not the circumstances are such that the matter cannot be kept a secret.

To Expel Sympathy Strikers.

Sidney S. Newton, Master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen for the district between and including Boston and Troy, has received orders from S. E. Wilkinson, Grand Master, of Galesburg, Ill., to report for explulsion any member of the order who struck in sympathy with the American Railway Union. This leaves no doubt as to the position assumed by the brotherhood, in spite of the reports that the brotherhool countenananced and aided the A. R.

He Staggered the Justice.

In Port Jervis, a little while ago, the local champion liar was brought up before the justice for stealing. It was a pretty plain case, and by the advice of his lawyer the prisoner said, "I plead guilty." This surprising answer, in place of a string of lies expected, staggered the justice. He rubbed his head. "I guess-

Agricultural Society Officers Authorized to Borrow Money,

The directors, heads of departments and others interested in the Orange County Fair, met in Newburgh, yesterday, to make preparations for the exhibition. The most important action taken was the adoption of a resolution authorizing the President and Secretary of the society to borrow money to be used, presumably, in putting the buildings and grounds in

An Expensive Lunch.

A North End man, Wednesday, invited friends to lunch with him at a James street restaurant. The bill was only half a dollar, but the North Ender after showing a roll of bills told the proprietor that he could go to sheel for his money.

The proprietor instead went to police headquarters. The North Ender was arrested and compromised by paying the restaurant bill and \$3

Wanted Justice and Got It.

A man walked into police headquarters, last night, to lodge a complaint of assault against another man. The complainant was in such a helpless state of intoxication that he was locked up. This morning he paid \$3 for his offense.

Raised a Check and Skipped.

George P. Voorhees, an employe of the Warwick firm of contractors, Welch Bros., last week raised a check of the firm from \$8 to \$82 and cashed it at a Deckertown store. The storekeeper is looking for the rascal, who has skipped.—Despatch.

One Way of Catching Bass. The Hancock Herald is responsible

for the story that while spearing eels in the West Branch of the Delaware, a few nights ago, C. W. Bell caught ahalf pound bass which had incautiously ventured up his trousers leg.

Take it as you ,et it, in liquid or powder form, only see that you get Simmons Liver Regulator. It cures Sick headache, Billousness and Constipation. You need not make a tea Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

CARS FOR MIDWAY PARK LINE-Colonial Electric Railway Co.'s Car-

> Shipped Here from Kingston. From the Kingston Leader.

Three of the cars sent to this city some time ago for the Colonial Electric Railway Co. will be sent to Middletown, to-day, for the use of the new electric railway in that city. The Middletown people ordered their cars from the same concern in St. Louis that built the cars for the Colonial. The cars were to be done by June 28th, but it was found impossible to complete them by that time and an extersion of one month was cecured. A short time ago it was found that the cars for Middletown could not be completed until the middle of August, and as business is rushing with the Middletown railroad a further extension of time was refused the car builders, the new cars being very much needed. A representative of the St. Louis car company visited this city and New York, a few days ago, and made an agreement whereby three of the cars from this city will be taken to Middletown, to-day, so that the contract can be filled and their places will be supplied by three new cars now in course of construction for the Miadietown railroad.

EXCELSIOR LODGE I. O. G. T.

Officers Elected for the Ensuing Quar-

Excelsior Lodge, No. 443, I. O. G. T., held its quarterly election of officers, last evening, which resulted as foilows:

Chief Templar—Lewis Davey. Vice Templar—Ethel Corwin. Secretary—Daniel Veber. Fin. Secretary-Maggie Grier. Treasurer-William Smith, Supt. J. T.-Nellie Wood, Chaplain-John Hill. Marshal-George Corwin. Inside Guard -Grace Rayson. Sentinel-Charles Arkles. Lodge Deputy (one year)-O. M.

Celery Raising at Great Meadows, N. J Large shipments of the early crop of celery are now being made from the black dirt lands at Great Meadows, N. J., the Lehigh and Hudson milk train taking out many boxes daily. A Hollander, who has only half an acre in cultivation, realized

\$225 and has the land all planted with

the second crop, which will yield him

Gregory.

The Plan He Wanted. A tramp went into an insurance office and asked what plans they insured on. The clerk named several plans after which the tramp, who had a tomato can in his hand, said: "Have you a plan by which I can get fifteen cents now?"-Kingston Leader.

Columbias' Trip to Hamburg,

The Cotambia Base Ball Club will go to Hamburg, N. J., to-morrow, to play the club at that place. They will leave on the 6:25 a.m. train, and will be accompanied by a number of their friends. A special rate has been secured for the trip-

Ball Game at Conductors' Clambake. The Asylume, of this city, and Genesee Club, of Utlea, N. Y., have been secured for a game of ball, at Livingston Manor, on the the occasion of the Conductor's clambake, August 16.

Browned at Pond Eddy.

Joseph Unteraner, a twelve-yearold Brooktyn boy, who was visiting his grandmother. Ars. Phillip Kerchin, at Pond Eldy, was drowned in the Delaware River at that place, while bathing, yesterday. The body was recovered an hour after the acci-

Recorder's Court.

-The case of Brown vs. Brown for non-support was adjourned for one month. In the meantime the conduct of both husband and wife will be closely scrutinized by the police.

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Hall's Catarth Oure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and musons surfaces of the system. Price 75c. of it. A spoonful of the liquid, or a per bottle. Sold by all druggists, Testimonials free.

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Ladies' Tan Blucherettes. opera toe, regular \$2 shoes, for

Misses' and Children's Tan. Shoes, all at cut prices.

Another lot of Ladies' Duck Suits at \$1.59. Black and navy, tailor made,

Ser e Suits at \$2.69. Ladies' Waists marked down without regard to

50 pieces 31 inch Jaconet now on sale at 12½c. These goods are thin, and very popular for summer dress-

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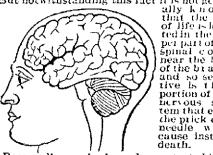
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the Darly Baths In Summer Weather. Every 24 hours the human body loses an amount of Leat by radiation from the surface during perspiration. But, contrary to what might seem probable at first thought, this loss is oftener advantageous than otherwise.

In this way an escape pipe, so to speak, is provided for the human mechanism, and just as the escape pipe of a steam engine is self regulating, so fortunately the radiation of the heat from the surface of the body is under the control of the nervous system.

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Since it is by this means largely that the superfluous heat of the body in health as well as in disease is got rid of, it is clearly very important, especially at this time of the year, that the pores of the skin should never be allowed to become clogged.

With the increased amount of dust in the atmosphere and its natural propensity for adhering to the perspiring body the daily bath becomes more of a necessity during the summer months than at any other time of the year. One should take great care, however, that the bodily temperature is reduced as nearly as possible to normal before the bath is taken. If the temperature be somewhat high and the body perspiring freely, the danger of taking cold will be increased by reason of the sudden congestion of the blood in the dilated vessels at the surface of the body.

Much of the advantage to be derived from sea bathing will be lost unless the crusts of salt that form in the pores of the skin on the evaporation of the water are removed by subsequent brisk toweling or fresh water sponging.

Not only is the perspiration an efficient means of removing superfluous hear, but by this same channel go out many of the waste products of the body. These waste products are always relatively increased in the summer months, and so it is doubly important that during this trying scason we should keep the skin in a healthy and cleanly condition. — Youth's Companion.

PRINTING SPEECHES.

Members of the Present Congress Have Broken the Record In This Respect.

There is one industry which is not in the least affected by the hard times. This is The Record division of the government printing office, which has charge of printing congressional speeches for distribution. There has never been a congress when the presses were worked so incessantly for this purpose. Already over 5,000,000 speeches have been sent out over the country under congressional franks, and the number is piling up daily until by the close of the session it is expected that it will far exceed any record which has hitherto been made. Tom Johnson alone gave an order for 1,000,000 copies of his speech on the income tax in the tariff bill. He leads the record.

But in the number of speeches ordered by other congressmen Burrows heads the list. Over 200,000 copies of his tariff speech have been issued, and he has taken very few himself. Most of them have been sent to western farming constituencies by Republican representatives. Reed's speech at the close of the tariff debate is not printed by the government printing office, but by one of the private concerns in Washington, and this has just about equaled that of Burrows. There is a great demand for Wilson's speech on the Democratic side, and tens of thousands of copies of the speech of Crisp have also been sent out. In the senate 20,000 copies of Senator Lodge's speech have gone out, many senators franking them to the college students in their states. Senator Morrill's speech is also in great demand, and the first speech delivered by Senator Hoar has gained a wide circulation. The efforts of Voorhees and Mills, which opened and closed respectively the general debate in the senare, have been circulated almost as widely by Republicans as by Democrats. - Boston Advertiser.

"Bissell" Postoffices.

There is now a "Bissell" postoffice in nearly every state in the Union. When Mr. Bissell was appointed postmaster general, not a single postoffice in the country was honored by the name of "Bissell," Mr. Bissell has since corrected this singular omission on the part of former postmaster generals, and when The Postal Guide was printed last December had already added an even do, in "Bissells" to the postoffice nomenclature of the country. He has been steadily progressing ever since, and there are now probably between 20 and 25 postoffices so designated. In some cases the naming of a postoflice after the postmaster general is pure sycophantry. Oftener, however, the name is suggested by the department in cases where there is any difficulty over the selection of a proper title for an office. In The Postal Guide printed last December there are 29 "Clevelands" and 19 "Grovers." The "Bissell" offices will eventually outnumber all others.—Indianapolis

Lambs at the Bargain Counter. The sale of five lambs at a department store in Lexington street Saturday was a noveliver sheppers. The lambs were not as gere as the little one that belonged to Way, and some amusing Better With a red by the animals struggling to reaso themselves from their pare to is fit se who bought the lumbs were recorded to take them away themwhere I. a.e., who were the principal bayer, reals of to do this by masping the line courties in both arms. Nearly every on of the limbs, it is said, was I make to be lept as a pot -BaltyITTLE PILLS

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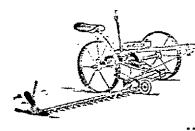
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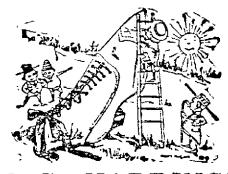
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wind that blows nobody good" the coalfamine has taught Chicago at least one Haven't the residents of this town observed that the skies have been clearer of late? Haven't they taken notice of the fact that the peaks of the tall buildings have not been so deeply clouded with banks of floating smoke, from which the black and sooty flakes fell on the victims in the shaded streets? Welcoming the glad transformation, have

Famine Caused by the Strike.

Under the old rule that "it's an ill

they asked themselves the reason for it? In June, 1894, for the first time in years persons ascending the Masonic Temple or Auditorium tower were enabled to see on a working day the green clumps of Garfield park far to the west and the big, rambling building of Packingtown at the stock yards, four miles to the southwest. They were visible through a veil of smoke, it is true, but it was a veil and not a wall of foggy, impenetrable darkness. The same stacks that had coughed out volcanic columns of dense smoke now sent the faintest gray wreaths curling upward. It was like Sunday.

Had the factories been closed and the fires banked? Was there less demand for working power in the big buildings. No to both questions.

The fact was that coal had become very searce and the price had increased. Every man who burned coal was having it fed into the fire boxes a mere spoonful at a time, so as to make the supply last as long as possible. In other words, he was getting almost perfect combustion, and consequently there was little, if any, smoke pouring out of the stack. He was getting the full value of his coal, and this, it might seem, would be a good thing for him to do whether or not there was a coal famine.

To some minds the late improvements in smoke consumers is proof positive that if furnaces were fed economically at all times the smoke would almost disappear. It is the reckless stoker who stnffs the furnace and then takes a long rest who causes most of the suffering. He did his duty when the coal famine Legan because his employer metaphorically stood over him with a club to see that he wasted no fuel. Then the smokestack reformed, as did its neighbors, Temporarily, at least, the horror was abated, and the prolonged strike of the miners did that much good.—Chicago

THE SODA FOUNTAIN.

Some of the Dangers of Using It as a General Prescription Counter.

"Nervensuess is as much a fad as anything else." said Dr. Egbert Dixon ct Buffalo, "and the modern soda water fountain has more to do with the increase of the mania than anything else. In days of old when soda water was first added to the wares of the druggist it was devoted entirely to satisfying the public taste for something cool, sweet and refreshing. Fruit sirups of a harmless character were fizzled up to a proper degree of gaseous bubbling, and the mission of the soda water fountain was a commendable one.

"Nowadays it is devoted to bromes, nervines and lots of other things that are made from the deadliest sort of drugs, while they are hung with signs inviting reople to become their own physicians by trying some of the countless nestrums which are alleged to cure anything from a headache to an ingrowing toe nail in an almost inconceivably small space of time. The tired out individual sees one of the nervine signs and mistakes his weariness for nervousness and straightway proceeds to doctor himself with something, he knows not what, but which, on account of its powerful properties, traces him up and makes

him feel bright. "The natural result follows. He takes some more of the soda water fountain stuff whenever he gets tired, and in a month or so his system is on the road to general breaking up. Drugging one's self at a soda fountain is dangerous, and, as I said in the beginning, nervonsness is largely a fad. If supposed sufferers from nervous attacks would only go out and split wood for half an hour, if men, or take a brisk walk, if women, and then take a bath and take a nap, there wouldn't be so much heard of this sally not about nervousness being our national disease, -- Washington Star.

Another Calamity Straw.

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A Warm Weather Drink.

Here is a recipe for soda water pow-20 cents per hundred ders, which are considered excellent for 30 cents per hundred allaying thirst in warm weather. Have put in blue paper 30 grains of carbonate of soda, in white paper 25 grains of tartaric acid. Dissolve the soda powder in half a glass of water and stir into it the acid and drink while effervescing. If you desire strup, make it out of sugar boiled in water and flavor as you like. Dissolve the soda in the sirup.—Washington Star.

Evil.

Evil is evil because it is unnatural. A vine which should bear olive berries -an eye to which blue seems yellowwould be diseased. An unnatural mother, an unnatural son, an unnatural act, are the strong st terms of condemnation.—F. W. Robertson.

TALKS WITH MOTHERS .- No. 3.

HAPPY BABYHOOD. Every mother wants her baby to thrive because a healthy child is a happy child. The question of how the baby shall be fed is demanding the attention, as never before. not only of the mothers in the land, but of the entire medical profession also, because it is now reassed how much the health or a child can be influenced by proper nutrition during the years of babyhood. As the result of the Improper feeding of the infant, the vitality of the shild is impaired, and he grows up weak and puny. In these days when artificial food is being so generally resorted to for infants, the demand for a substitute for mother's milk has brought out many foods for which great claims are made. Gustav Melini, an English chemist, was the List to discover and combine the requisite properties necessary for an artificial food, and with his discovery the rational feeding of miants commenced.

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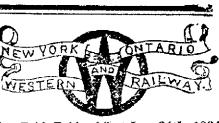
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SHOTS HERE AND THERE

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

' Newspaper English from Pennsylvania-New Book by E, H. Mott-The Story of the Erie-Written Sermons and Sermons Without Notes-Why a Boy Wanted to Be a Preacher.

The Honesdale Citizen and its esteemed contemporary, the Independent, have had a difference, which originated, it seems, in the Independent charging the Citizen with appropriating items from its columns without due and proper acknowledgement. The Citizen spurns the allegation with fine scorn, and marshals its mythological lore to assist it in doing up its neighbor. It cites the theft of the cattle of Sisyphos, and the defacement of their marks by the master-thief of Pannassus, a defacement which was of no avail, for the owner identified his live stock by his private mark on the bottoms of their hoofs. Having thus got everything in readiness the Citizen jumps on and demolishes the esteemed Independent with the following mighty sentence:

There is a like method at hand of Identifying all of our neighbor's litsrary herd, should they be abstracted from the fold; for they bear the Independent's unmistakable stamp of ignorance, crudity, puerility, men-dacity, scurrility and venality, and the task of obliterating It would be scentirely out of proportion to their value that no one would think of at-

Mr. E. H. Mott, the well known newspaper writer and the author of "Pike County Folks," which achieved a deserved success a number of years ago, is at work on a new book, which is now in press and will be published during the present year. It will be called "Between the Ocean and the Lakes," and will be the history of the Erie Railroad from its inception to the present day.

Mr. Mott, for a number of years, ras connected with the Erie's parsenger department and enjoys peculiar advantages for obtaining authertic and important material for such a work as he has in hand. The plan of the book as outlined in the prospectus is comprehensive. The full story of the evolution of a railroad from a ridiculed and discredited idea will be told, and the early trials and struggles of the men who labored to carry the collosal enterprise to completion-tinged with romance and rich in dramatic incident as they are ---will be grouped together in continuous and authentic narative. The history of the road will include as a apecial feature, the memorable excursion from New York and Piermont to Dunkirk in 1851, to celebrate the opening of the line, in which President Fillmore, Daniel Webster and other distinguished guests took part. Coming down to more recent times, he long struggle which finally ousted them from control will be told, and no more interesting chapter than this can be found in the history of any

A minister in this city, in conversation with an Angus reporter ashort time ago, was talking about the preparation of sermons and the notion of some people that extemporaneous discourses were preferable to written zermons prepared with greater care. He said that in his experience of many years in the pulpit, he had Zound that one class in his congregation always took a deeper interest in the written sermons, and another in the extemporaneous efforts, and as a faithful minister, he tried to accommodate both, believing it to be his auty to preach the gospel in any and every way that it would be acceptable to his people. He had finally adopted the plan of reading his sermons at The morning service, and preaching extemporaneously in the evening and soon discovered that he had one set of hearers in the morning and another in the evening.

"While I make thorough prepara-Son for my evening sermons," said the minister, "I allow myself much more license than I do in my more Inished discourses in the morning and doubtless there is more freedom in my actions when I am not required to follow my manuscript, that pleases a certain class of people who object to a minister 'using notes.' I see this in my congregation and cater to it, as I believe it my duty to do, but at the same time I believe in he carefully written sermon all the same and if I was forced to adopt one or the other, I should write my sermons. I am not one of those who would attempt to explure a whole To not use notes."

I can not better illustrate my l as of the intellectual grasp of the torie who object to a minister sing notes,' than by telling you a one at my own expense. I have a sby, who, being a mine fer's son is, Rogers's drug store obaise required to attend church regularly. Lake all other boys of his igo he cannot be expected to feel a fory deep interest in a well prepared Surmon, especially of the heavy charcarr, and raturally erroys the exemporaneous sermors in the evenng botter. He said to his mother one day when his future was being anscheed. 'Ma, I want to be a meacher.' His mother was was nat. | phur Bitters.

urally pleased, wanted to know why and this was the answer he gave: Because it's a good deal easier to run around and holler like pa does, than to sit still in the seat.' I never preach a sermon without notes, and find myself in my freedom from the restraints of manuscript, 'running around and hollering', but I think of my boy's reason for wanting to be a preacher."

UNIONVILLE.

Transfer of Lands to the Water Company-Received Her Insurance Soon to Have a New Pastor-Other Items of Interest from This Lively Village.

Correspondence Argus and MERCURY. -Mrs. Louise Wheat, of Middletown, was in our village, Monday and Tuesday of this weer, visiting her parents.

-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Baxter and daughter, who have beeh visiting their friends here the past week. returned to their home in Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday evening,

-Peter Northrup, Jr., is spending a three weeks' varation with his parents in our village.

-Mrs. Sarah Harden has been spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Rogers, on Main street. She returned home Wednesday. Mrs. Harden was a faithful teacher in the Baptist Sunday School here for several years and was present at the session of the school on Sunday morning last.

-Miss Chattie Decker has sccepted a position with George Davis as clerk at his bakery in Van Fleet's building, on Railroad avenue.

-Our wideawake and enterprising merchant, Christopher J. Davenport, has a new show case for shoes and ready made clothing, which will be ready for use in a few days. Chris. is a hustler.

-Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Fleet and their daughter. Blanche, will board with Mrs. Tressa C. Yerks during the building of Mr. Van Fleet's residence on First avenue.

-The transfer of six acres of land by Peter T. Northrup to the Unionville Water Works Company for reservoirs was completed on Tuesday afternoon, through John J. Case, Jr., of this village, and James F. Conklin, of Deckertown. Price

-Mrs. Jennie Wilson Adams has received \$1,000 insurance on the life | sale. of her late husband, John W. Adams, who died June 23rd. Mr. Adams was insured in the Prudential, Life and Trust Company, of Phiadelphia. This is a reliable company and very prompt in the payment of death claims.

-The present indications are that the Baptist Church will soon secure the services of a pastor.

-Rev. Wm. M. Lanans, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, who has been incapactated from preaching visiting Theo. a. Miller, returned to for some time past from throat d.ffithe Fisk and Gould management and | culty, is rapidly improving, and | day. hopes soon to resume his pastoral | _-Mrs. Geo. Riley and son John, of work.

-Rev. Mr. Waldron of the M. E. Church is absent on a short vacation. -Samuel C. Hayne is handling a large amount of milk at his creamery in this place and in the Clove.

Hiram Maxim's Youth.

When Hiram Maxon, the famous inventer, lived in Sangerville, anxious mammas used to warn their hopciuls not to play with "that wicked Maxim boy." In fact, young Maxim grew up under the doubtful reputation of being the very worst boy in the neighborhood. This isn't said for the purpose of encouraging any other Maine incorrigibles who are in the depths of their misdeeds. If Huam had been a perfectly good little boy and had devoted his time to studying his lessons, he might have had that flying machine all completed by

Huam used to work at carriage painting in Abbot and was hired by D. D. Flynt. He was an artist with the brush. One day a man called to see That while the latter was out. "There has been a man in to see you," said young Maxim. "What's his name?" "I don't know, but that's how he looks," and the boy pointed to a board on which behad roughly dauled a face. "I forgot to ask him his rame," said the boy, "and so I drew that." Flynt knew his man. -Lewiston Journal.

Pimples, boils and other humorsof the blood are liable to break out in the warm weather. Prevent it by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe in past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after congregation by announcing that 'I | effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint, Free Trial Bottles at McMonagle &

Personat. A young lady of seventeen summers, highly educated, refined, and of prepossessing appearance, desires to form the acquaintance of some nice young man, whom she would advise, if troubled with dyepepsia, to use that great blood purifier, Su'-

OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County-Many Matters of Interest Con. densed from Our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wido-Awake Correspondents.

occurred in this county within two weeks, two at Monricello, one at Yankee Pond and one at Loch Shel-

-Building continues brisk in Lib-

-A grove meeting in connection with the general quarterly meeting of the Free Methodist Church of Liberty Falls will be held in J. R. Gerow's grove, commencing Thursday, Aug. 2d, and continuing over Sunday.

-The annual picnic of St. Peter's Church, Liberty, will be held in the grove near the depot, Tuesday, Aug.

-The Rockland fish hatchery was

finished yesterday. -Charles, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Misner, of Loch Sheldrake, was drowned while bathing in the lake, at that place, Friday afternoon. It is supposed he was taken with cramps.

-The annual re-union of the exsoldiers and sailors of Sullivan Co., will be held at Rockland, N. Y., Aug. 30th, 1894, under the auspices of W. T. Morgan Post, G. A. R.

-A kirmess, under the auspices of the Village Improvement Society, will be given in Liberty, Aug. 14th-18th inclusive. The Misses Randolph, of Niagara Falls, have charge of the affair,

MOUNTAIN DALE.

Effects of the Brouth-A New Railroad Bridge-The Farmers' Store.

Correspondence ABGUS and MERCURY. -Many wells, springs and brooks are going dry on account of the drouth.

-The material for the new iron bridge near the trestle, has arrived and I learn they are going right on with the work.

-N. F. Greene ships lots of raspberries daily.

-î understand that the Farmers Co-operative store is advertised for

CHESTER.

Many Personal Notes-An Union Storage House-Meeting at the Methodist Chapel.

Correspondence ABGUS and MERGURY. -Mrs. Thomas Bryan and children

have returned from an extended trip to Rochester.

-Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dougherty and son, Clifford, who have been their home in Providence, R. I., Mon-

Paterson, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Stone.

-Miss Louise Huyler is visiting at Newburgh.

-Mr. Olivette, a New York commission merchant, is building an cnion storage house, 40x60 feet, in the lower village. Peter F. Miller. of Middletown, is doing the carpenter work, and Theo. W. Miller the mason work.

-Mrs. Hannah Olmstead, of Brooklyn, is visiting at Dr. C. P. Smith's. -Miss May Marvin, of Brooklyn, is visiting her uncle, Robert Marvin,

-- A religious meeting will be held in the Methodist chapel, Saturday afternoon, between 2 and 3 o'clock. It will be led by Miss Laura Wood. All young ladies are invited to attend.

SOUTH CENTERVILLE.

terest.

Several Items of Purely Personal In-

Correspondence Argus and MERCURY,

-Mrs. Eliza Robbins, of Middletown, and her granddaughter, Grace Bell, are visiting at Mr. G. E. Robbina's.

-Mr. W. E. Millspaugh, of Northwestern Iowa, who has been visiting relatives in the East, recently visited his sisters, Mrs. F. H. Van Dervoort, of this place, and Mrs Dewitt Carr, of Gardnerville, and also his mother. Mrs. M. Millspaugh, at Haverstraw. He returned home, July 23rd.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. H. VanDervoort went to Haverstraw last Tuesday to attend the marriage of Mrs. VanDervoort's sister, Miss Eva Millspaugh, to Mr. George Lambert, which took place on Wednesday.

-Walter Harloe finished having Tuesday, July 17th.

-Whooping cough is prevailing in

this village. -John Fitzgibbons, of Part Jervia, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzgibbons, of Eaton-

A Good Appetite

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July Heat Weakens Babies' Digestion.

-Four deaths by crowning have No Strength to Resist Cholera Infantom.

> Half of the Funerals of July are of Little Ones.

SAFETY LIES IN LACTATED FOOD AND CLEANLINESS.

The Proper Food is Very Far from Expensive.

July is dealing even more cruelly with the bables than a year ago. The fatal cases of cholera infant

um, last week, in this city, were many, and there will be many more. Precious little lives sacrificed in 1gnorance!

Almost every one might have been saved!

All these diarrhoal diseases, whether cholera infantum, diarrhoea or summer complaint, are preventable. Physicians emphatically say so.

Hot weather alone will not produce these disorders; it simply weakens the infant digestion, and that makes it easy for improper feeding to bring on dreaded diarrhoea.

What then is proper diet in July? Healthy mother's milk has no rival; but when the child 13 being weaned, or when its natural food is thin and watery and unable to keep baby strong and well, lactated food must be used at once, either to suppiemeut mother's milk or as a complete diet.

For years it has been noted that in countless homes and in the large children's institutious, wherever lactated food has been regularly used, there have been few or no returns of deaths from cholera infantum in July or August.

The reason is that this highly nutritious predigested and especially palatable food is the very next thing in every respect to pure mother's milk. It is easily assimilated by the infant stomach, with but a trifling expenditure of vitality. It keeps up the little one's strength, and as it cannot possibly contain a particle of impurity, these two great causes of cholera infantum are easity avoided. And bables like it.

Any food, however nutritious, that baby will not really take, has small chances of doing good. And it is here that lactated food stands preeminent in the minds of medical men. When teething and during the hot weather, when babies are capricious in their appetite, it is found that they take lactated food with relish when nothing else will tempt them.

Members of boards of health and physicians, it will be found, feed their own children on lactated food. The fact known to physicians from the start that lactated food was prepared under the supervision of no less a man than Prof. Boynton, of Vermont University, gave it immediate standing among practitioners.

When a change of diet is needed because baby is not taking sufficient nourishment, lactated food is sure to delight mothers, by the evident relish with which babies take it.

INVESTIGATING AN ACCIDENT.

The Railroad Engineer (cts Gut of Trouble I or Running Too I ast.

Superintendent Warren of the Eastern Illinois railway was telling the other evening of a certain engineer in the employ of the road who had been repeatedly cautioned against running too fast. He was running a freight train, and on one portion of his division there was a steep hill. His orders were to never permit his train to go down that hill faster than 15 miles an hour, but it was general belief that whenever he had a safe opportunity he sailed down that grade just as fast as the wheels would turn. One day he did go down the hill so fast that the entire train left the track at the bottom, and there were box cars piled up high. An investigation immediately followed, and the engineer, in failtoad parlance, was put on the "carpet." He swere in the most solenin terms that he went down the hill not faster than 15 miles an hour. but that just before reaching the bottom he lost control of the airbrake, and the speed became so great the train could not keep the track; hence the wreck, for which he was not responsi-

"But," said his superintendent, "we have a man here, a farmer, who was on the hill-ide that day when you came down. He stood at the edge of a clearing, saw you at the top and all the way down, and be will swear that he never saw a train poing so fast in all his life, and he is a man 60 years old. He cays that it was next to an impossibility to see the whicls. What do you say to that?"

The engineer never hesitated "I know the mar. I saw him the day after the wreck, and he told the same story to me, only there was a little more

to it. " "What was that?"

"Why, he told me that it was the first team of cars he had ever seen in his life, and I don't think he would be a very good indge of speed,"

There was silence in the room for a few moments, and the engineer got off with a 60 days' suspension.—Chicago 5 West Main St.,

Ibsen and Tolstol.

Blumenthal, the great theater manager of Berlin, was once talking with Tolstoi about Ibsen and said: "I have put a good many of his plays on the stage, but I can't say that I quite understand them. Do you understand them:" "Ibsen doesn't understand them himself," Tolstoi replied. "He just writes them and then sits down and warts. After awhile his expounders and explainers come and tell him what he meant."-San Francisco Argonant.

He Didn't Object.

"But, my dear sir," said the man who procrastinates, "if' I pay you this money I will have to borrow it of some one else.

"Very well," replied the cold blooded citizen, "so long as you pay what you owe me I don't object to your owing what you pay me."--American Industries.



Mrs. Mary A. Tupper has been released, at Wilton, Me., from the custody of extreme Female Weakness, which kept her a prisoner in bed unable to walk. Ludia E. Pinkham's Vege-

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RITTER & BEYEA.

THE People of the State of New York to Brid A get Connell, re-iding at Owermycullen, County Galway, Ireland; Michael Joyce, Patrick Joyce, Nora Denton residing at Middletown, N. Y.; Martin Joyce, Thomas Joyce, John Joyce, residing at Bullfulle, N. Y.; Della Munn residing at New Hamp'on, N. Y.; the unknown heirs at law and next of kin of Catharine Breslin, deceased (if any), whose places of residence are unknown; and every person of any) having any interest in the estate of, or claiming to be circultors, heirs at law and next of Eurof Patrick Cottom, late of the town of Walland, in the county of Orange, deceased, send greeting.

You and each of you are hereby cited person ally to be and appear before our Surrogate, at lies office, in the village of Goshenin said county, on the 10th day of September, 1844, at tel 6 clock in the forenoon of that day, to attend the probate of a certain instrument in writin; purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased bearing date the both day of Jime in the year of our Lord one thousand eight lumined and ninety four, on the application of S. Albert bull, claiming to be the executior thereof; which said last will relates to and is offered for probate as a will of real and personal property.

And that if any of the personal property and the first any of the personal property one, or if they have none, that they appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the event of their next of soil they have one, or if they have none, that they appear and act for them in the proceeding.

In testimony, whereof, we have caused the seal of effice of our sail Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affired.

gate's Court to be hereunto affixed. [L 5] Witness Hen. Roswell G Coleman, Surregate of our said county of Or-ange, at Gothen, in said county, the 25 h day of July, A D., 1804. T D SCHOONMAKER, Clerk of the Surro-

mate's Court
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